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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ENRG, IS, EG
SUBJECT: ISRAELI ACTIVITY IN GULF OF SUEZ AREA

REF: STATE 256717

1. ISRAELIS HAVE BEEN CONDUCTING ONSHORE DIAGONAL DRILLING
AT AT-TUR ON GULF OF SUEZ SINCE FEBRUARY. WE UNDERSTAND
THAT RESULTS SO FAR ARE "PROMISING" BUT NO SIGNIFICANT FIND
HAS YET BEEN MADE. CURRENT DRILLING AT AT-TUR IS BEING
DONE AT "Yael II" SITE.

2. WE HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT THE ISRAELI OFFSHORE DRILLING
RIG IN THE GULF OF SUEZ HAS NOW BEEN REPAIRED AND WILL
SHORTLY RESUME OFFSHORE DRILLING.
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